

Friends International/ International students

Students will soon be returning to university in Aberdeen and Friends International will once again host two 'welcome' evening meals for overseas students.

If you would like to help please speak to either Sue Harker or Paul.

Pictures wanted!

As you have noticed, the Church Hall has been redecorated over the summer. Now we need fresh photos for our activity's board. If you want to contribute with photos of recent church events, please bring or mail them into the office.

Babies and Bumps

We are looking for volunteers for the toddler group on Wednesday afternoons. If you are interested, contact Claudia

Wesley Owen Christian bookshop

are looking for volunteer staff. Please ask Paul for an application form.

Church Office

The church office will now be staffed Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9am-noon. Messages left on the answer machine will be responded to as soon as possible.

Please take this leaflet home for information and prayer

More information can be found on our Church website at www.stdevenicks.org.uk

NOTICE SHEET RECEIPTS DEADLINE: 9.00 AM THURSDAY

Any items for the notice sheet should be phoned or emailed to the office tel: 01224 863574 email: office@stdevenicks.org.uk



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Family Fun Day

Sat, Aug 29th, 1.00-5.00pm
Please invite your friends to come and take some flyers to give to people.

Church Away Day: Pilgrimage and Treasures

Sat., Sept. 19th, 10.00am-4.00pm
Kemnay Church Centre
Program:

- 10.00 Coffee and Icebreaker Games
- 10.30 Worship
- 10.45 Talk 1 Pilgrimage
- 11.30 Discussion Groups
- 12.15 Lunch
- 1.15 Worship
- 1.30 Guided Meditation
- 2.30 Talk 2 Treasures
- 3.00 Discussion Groups
- 3.30 Feedback
- 3.50 Worship
- 4.00 Close and coffee

This will be a wonderful day for the whole church family, including a programme for the young people. Please let Wai Leng or Hans Mann know if you are coming and if you need transport.
Cost: £10.00



Welcome to church today!

23rd August 2009
Twelfth Sunday
of Pentecost

This morning's service is
Holy Communion

Visitors and newcomers are
most welcome at
St Devenick's

Coffee, tea and biscuits are served in the hall
after the 10.30am service.
We look forward to meeting you then!

Prayer of the week

Mighty God, in you is our hope and our strength,
You are a very present help in all our troubles.
Grant that putting on the whole armour of God
we may be able to stand against the powers of darkness
and proclaim your saving gospel of love and peace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God for ever. Amen.

Rector: Rev Paul R Watson

St Devenick's
A Scottish Episcopal Church and a member of the Evangelical Alliance

Our aim: to know God and to make him known

When we don't feel like it

Team for today:

Paul Watson is leading

June MacCormack is preaching

Christine Jenkins is reading

Readings: Psalm 51, pg 573

John 21: 15-19, pg 1090

Ruth Arthur is leading the prayers

Prayer Ministry: Ruth Arthur,
Julia House

Anyone desiring personal prayer is asked to wait in the pew following the service. A member of the prayer team will come and pray with you.

Weekly prayer meetings

to pray for St Devenick's and its mission on Wednesdays, 7.15am and Fridays, 9.15am will start again in September.

Crèche runs in the church hall during the 10.30 service. Your children will be most welcome if you wish to make use of this facility.

Junior Church takes place in the church hall from 10.20am, and all children aged 3 years and over are very welcome to join in.

Youth Church (11+) is meeting in the Upper Room in the Hall during the 10.30 service.

On the first Sunday of each month, all our young people's and children's groups worship together with the adults in church.

THIS WEEK

This Sunday

2.30pm Rowan Court

Wednesday

7.00pm Stop Dieting, Start Living

Thursday

10.30am Holy Communion in Lady Chapel

7.30pm Vestry meeting

Saturday

1.00pm MBC Family Day

7.00pm Mix

Next week's team:

Leading: June MacCormack

Preaching: Paul Watson

Reading: Hans Mann, Ronnie Shewan

Readings: Micah 6: 6-8

Romans 12: 1-2

Matthew 6: 19-23

Prayers: Ann Bale

Books: Marjorie Roadnight, Helen Goodyear

Offering: Stephen Goodyear, Simon Barnett

Coffee: Elizabeth Mc Donald, Mary Rigden

Prayer Ministry: Carolyn Rae, Sheila Kelly

Flowers: Pat Skidmore

There is a hearing loop system in the church and **large-print service and hymn books are available**

Worship

This will be the overall theme for our Sunday sermons these next few weeks

Aug 23rd (HC)	When we don't feel like it	John 21: 15-19
Aug 30th (MW)	Worship 24/7	Matthew 6: 19-23
Sept 6th (AAW)	Giving 1: Stewardship	Luke 21: 1-4

Prayer Points

Please pray for

1. our church members: Harry and Suzanne Adams, Ian and Ruth Arthur
2. Sheila Veale and her young son Toby in the loss of Captain Alan Veale on Monday evening
3. Newly married couples...
Yesterday Gemma Harker and Kestin in Edinburgh
Gordon and Susie Walker married at St Devenick's
And of course Alan and Henna to be married next Saturday
4. For the Family Fun Day on 29th August for all those involved in planning and that there will be good attendance
5. for the Crèche, Junior and Youth Churches as they start again today
6. Udo and Kathleen in Namibia that they will find foster families for the children in the home which is now to close

Stop dieting, start living !

An alternative to dieting
Come to a Taster session on Wed,
Aug. 26
7.30-8.30pm
For information contact Ina (861552)
or Carolyn (861889)

New House group

Another daytime house group has started on Friday mornings.
If you are interested in joining please phone Cissy (208440) or Ina (861552)

Ladies' Breakfast

September 12th (*change of date*)
The Watermill Inn, Milltimber
9 am - 10.30
Cost: £6
RSVP Sue or Lorna

Vestry Meeting

The next vestry meeting will take place on **Thursday, Aug 27th.**

Men's Breakfast

Sat., 29th June, 8:45 for 9am
The Water-Wheel Inn, £6
RSVP Frank or Rob
Everybody welcome!

Street Pastors

Open meeting Tuesday 25th August
7.30pm, Gilcomston South Church.

Prayer chain

If anyone has a prayer request he can contact a member of one of our two prayer chains. More information and contact details can be found on the cards at the back of the church.